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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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First Inventor	Paul W. Johns, et al	
An Asept	ically Packaged, Extensively Liquid Nutritional Formula	ý
Method for Express Mail Label No.	Making It FR 244204201 US	_

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